

6.D OASDI Benefits Awarded: Dependents & Survivors

Table 6.D4.—Number of **children**, by type of benefit, 1957–98

Year	Total	Children of—		
		Retired workers	Deceased workers	Disabled workers
Total				
1957.....	313,163	81,842	231,321	...
1960.....	415,719	69,979	241,430	104,310
1965.....	783,202	134,187	451,399	197,616
1970.....	1,090,865	182,595	591,724	316,546
1975.....	1,331,913	225,579	591,118	515,216
1976.....	1,327,197	236,805	578,905	511,487
1977.....	1,365,513	259,447	587,589	518,477
1978.....	1,234,658	214,284	566,992	453,382
1979.....	1,191,521	247,800	544,549	399,172
1980.....	1,174,112	248,658	540,246	385,208
1981.....	1,086,547	211,406	535,487	339,654
1982.....	916,715	182,849	473,396	260,470
1983.....	752,839	144,945	380,992	226,895
1984.....	721,564	131,986	351,326	238,252
1985.....	713,632	128,076	332,531	253,025
1986.....	700,627	122,652	319,800	258,167
1987.....	685,299	117,984	310,573	256,742
1988.....	706,031	116,659	324,346	265,026
1989.....	675,362	106,491	307,484	261,387
1990.....	695,307	108,105	303,616	283,586
1991.....	726,908	107,261	301,459	318,188
1992.....	794,571	108,686	304,300	381,585
1993.....	816,454	106,566	311,290	398,598
1994.....	824,239	102,983	310,051	411,205
1995.....	808,578	101,239	306,044	401,295
1996.....	798,485	98,655	302,480	397,350
1997.....	757,346	97,594	297,204	362,548
1998.....	763,170	96,893	294,851	371,426
Children under age 18				
1940.....	59,382	8,249	51,133	...
1945.....	127,514	7,215	120,299	...
1950.....	122,641	25,495	97,146	...
1955.....	238,795	40,402	198,393	...
1960.....	391,366	57,239	231,611	102,516
1965.....	523,453	84,707	263,637	175,109
1970.....	678,940	99,353	337,960	241,627
1975.....	806,770	115,347	300,139	391,284
1980.....	573,828	111,610	227,139	235,079
1981.....	512,939	84,793	228,317	199,829
1982.....	457,445	81,502	222,738	153,205
1983.....	444,467	80,117	211,396	152,954
1984.....	449,242	74,328	202,163	172,721
1985.....	464,908	74,128	200,576	190,204
1986.....	465,115	70,915	196,008	198,192
1987.....	451,370	66,672	184,668	195,030
1988.....	452,519	63,586	192,278	196,655
1989.....	446,308	59,073	189,285	197,950
1990.....	468,439	60,588	189,792	218,059
1991.....	502,442	60,618	191,537	250,287
1992.....	559,725	61,034	192,689	306,002
1993.....	575,247	59,515	198,469	317,263
1994.....	586,342	57,677	201,598	327,067
1995.....	571,650	57,215	198,848	315,587
1996.....	561,687	56,126	194,333	311,228
1997.....	517,118	54,841	184,237	278,040
1998.....	516,100	54,218	182,118	279,764

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Table 6.D4.—Number of **children**, by type of benefit, 1957–98—Continued

Year	Total	Children of—		
		Retired workers	Deceased workers	Disabled workers
Disabled children, aged 18 or older				
1957.....	29,507	17,249	12,258	...
1960.....	24,353	12,740	9,819	1,794
1965.....	21,398	10,017	8,668	2,713
1970.....	24,547	11,348	9,425	3,774
1975.....	32,707	14,636	11,182	6,889
1976.....	34,517	15,602	11,546	7,369
1977.....	36,210	(1)	(1)	7,885
1978.....	33,611	15,378	11,013	7,220
1979.....	33,419	15,967	10,999	6,453
1980.....	33,470	16,650	10,626	6,194
1981.....	30,545	15,365	9,745	5,435
1982.....	28,707	14,772	9,685	4,250
1983.....	33,639	17,309	11,223	5,107
1984.....	36,427	18,330	12,556	5,541
1985.....	39,083	19,661	12,709	6,713
1986.....	40,525	20,295	13,244	6,986
1987.....	39,665	20,761	12,117	6,787
1988.....	38,702	20,544	11,512	6,646
1989.....	37,001	19,668	10,975	6,358
1990.....	38,772	20,862	11,277	6,633
1991.....	41,086	21,850	11,684	7,552
1992.....	47,009	23,615	13,846	9,548
1993.....	47,246	23,173	13,819	10,254
1994.....	44,483	22,119	12,590	9,774
1995.....	43,275	21,566	11,930	9,779
1996.....	40,583	20,169	11,061	9,353
1997.....	38,701	19,611	10,616	8,474
1998.....	39,941	19,932	10,914	9,095
Students				
1965.....	238,351	39,463	179,094	19,794
1970.....	387,378	71,894	244,339	71,145
1975.....	492,436	95,596	279,797	117,043
1976.....	544,739	108,197	295,058	141,484
1977.....	574,760	(1)	(1)	148,227
1978.....	544,396	105,719	291,434	147,243
1979.....	553,889	117,118	292,766	144,005
1980.....	566,814	120,398	302,481	143,935
1981.....	543,063	111,248	297,425	134,390
1982.....	430,563	86,575	240,973	103,015
1983.....	274,726	47,519	158,373	68,834
1984.....	235,895	39,328	136,577	59,990
1985.....	209,641	34,287	119,246	56,108
1986.....	194,987	31,442	110,556	52,989
1987.....	194,264	30,551	108,788	54,925
1988.....	214,810	32,529	120,556	61,725
1989.....	192,053	27,750	107,224	57,079
1990.....	188,096	26,655	102,547	58,894
1991.....	183,380	24,793	98,238	60,349
1992.....	187,837	24,037	97,765	66,035
1993.....	193,961	23,878	99,002	71,081
1994.....	193,414	23,187	95,863	74,364
1995.....	193,653	22,458	95,266	75,929
1996.....	196,215	22,360	97,086	76,769
1997.....	201,527	23,142	102,351	76,034
1998.....	207,129	22,743	101,819	82,567

¹ Data not available.